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January 25, 1985

Mr. Mike Munsell
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Re: South Cedar Facility

Dear Mike:

This letter will serve as a follow up to our meeting of January 21, 1985 at your office. At that time we discussed the request from Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR) for additional investigation at your South Cedar facility. Specifically, the request asked for an analysis of a sludge sample from the abandoned septic tank and an analysis of the soil from beneath the drain tiles. The analyses are to be for volatile organic compounds.

Compliance with the MDNR request will require one backhoe cut and one soil boring. Prior to the backhoe cut, the septic tank will need to be located. It is our understanding that the exact location of the tank is not known and thus will require probing. This is accomplished by driving a steel rod into the ground to locate the concrete tank. The backhoe then excavates the soils covering the tank, the access port is removed and a sludge sample obtained. The same probing method will be used to locate the drain tiles. Once located, a hand auger boring will be made to obtain the soil sample. The samples will be submitted for volatile organic compound analysis.

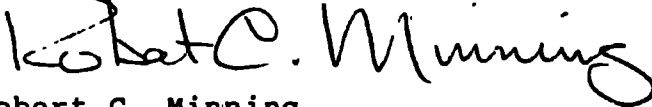
As stated in the preceeding discussion, soil probing will be required to locate the tank and drain field. Probing during the winter months becomes difficult due to the frozen ground. The same condition makes the backhoe cut and hand auger boring more difficult as well. We suggest that this work be conducted as soon as practical subsequent to the frost leaving the ground.

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Should there be any questions regarding our proposal, please
feel free to call.

Very truly yours,

KECK CONSULTING SERVICES, INC.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Robert C. Minning". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping "M" and a long, trailing "g".

Robert C. Minning
President

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